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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

VIACOM INTERNATIONAL INC., COMEDY PARTNERS, COUNTRY MUSIC TELEVISION, INC., PARAMOUNT PICTURES CORPORATION, and BLACK ENTERTAINMENT TELEVISION LLC,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

YOUTUBE, INC., YOUTUBE, LLC, and GOOGLE INC.,

Defendants.

07 Civ. 2103 (LLS)

ORDER DENYING RECONSIDERATION

Ms. Sandra Ann Bradshaw Lucas-Morrow's motion for reconsideration of my June 4, 2007 order denying her application to intervene, is denied.

The issues Ms. Lucas-Morrow seeks to raise are outside the issues involved in this action. The issues in this case involve whether Youtube's and Google's business activities violated the Copyright Act, rather than the underlying validity of specific copyrights or licenses or ownership of the individual works listed in the complaint. Allowing litigation of individual claims of rights under state law to a particular work would unnecessarily and unjustifiably complicate and impede the "just, speedy and inexpensive determination of" this action. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 1. Thus, Ms. Lucas-Morrow's intervention is denied for the reasons stated in my June 4, 2007 order.

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So ordered.

DATED: New York, New York
June 28, 2007

Louis L. Stanton

LOUIS L. STANTON
U. S. D. J.